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In re the Application of Rule 53(b) Divisional:

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For:

MOUNTED CIRCUIT SUBSTRATE AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING THE SAME FOR SURFACE LAYER PADS THAT CAN WITHSTAND PAD EROSION BY MOLTEN SOLDER APPLIED OVER A PLURALITY OF

**TIMES** 

Attorney Docket No.: 001480A Customer Number: 38834

## **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

February 24, 2004

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination of this application, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper